



Wild Animals and Circuses (Wales) Act 2020

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Offences by bodies corporate etc.

7 **Proceedings: offences committed by partnerships and unincorporated associations**

- (1) Proceedings for an offence under section 1 alleged to have been committed by a partnership are to be brought in the name of the partnership (and not in that of any of the partners).
- (2) Proceedings for an offence under section 1 alleged to have been committed by an unincorporated association other than a partnership are to be brought in the name of the association (and not in that of any of its members).
- (3) Rules of court relating to the service of documents have effect as if the partnership or unincorporated association were a body corporate.
- (4) Section 33 of the Criminal Justice Act 1925 (c. 86) and Schedule 3 to the Magistrates' Courts Act 1980 (c. 43) apply in proceedings for an offence brought against a partnership or an unincorporated association as they apply in relation to a body corporate.

Commencement Information

II [S. 7](#) in force at 1.12.2020, see [s. 12](#)

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Wild Animals and Circuses (Wales) Act 2020, Section 7.